

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 447
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For the Senate Judiciary Committee

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*from
Clerk of
Court*

1. Page 2, line 6.

Following: "subsection"

Strike: "(6) (b)"

Insert: "(6) (c)"

2. Page 2, line 7 through line 8.

Following: "filed" on line 7

Strike: remainder of line 7 through "offense" on line 8

Insert: "in the court file"

3. Page 2, line 9.

Following: line 8

Insert: "(b) If the victim is under 18 years of age, one copy of
all public documents filed in the court file must be
provided to the victim's parent or guardian instead of to
the minor victim."

4. Page 2, line 9.

Following: line 8

Strike: "(b)"

Insert: "(c)"

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(see over)

1 a result of:

2 (i) the commission of an offense;

3 (ii) the good faith effort to prevent the commission of an offense; or

4 (iii) the good faith effort to apprehend a person reasonably suspected of committing an offense; or

5 (b) a member of the immediate family of a homicide victim.

6 ^(c) ~~(6) (a) Except as provided in subsection (6)(b), a victim of a criminal offense has the right to receive,~~
7 ~~upon request and at no cost to the victim, one copy of all public documents filed during any trial or hearing~~
8 ~~conducted by a court that pertains to the offense.~~ *in the court file*

9 ^(b) ~~(c)(b)~~ Subsection (6)(a) does not apply to:

10 (i) trial transcripts;

11 (ii) trial exhibits;

12 (iii) court proceedings conducted under Title 41, chapter 5; or

13 (iv) documents the prosecutor determines would adversely affect the prosecution if released.

14 (7) A victim of a criminal offense has the right, upon request, to have a victim advocate present when
15 the victim is interviewed about the offense."

16 (b) If the victim is under 18 years of age, one copy of
all public documents filed in the court file must be
provided to the victim's parent or guardian instead of to
the minor victim.. **Services to victims of crime.** (1) Law enforcement personnel shall ensure that a victim

19 of a crime receives emergency social and medical services as soon as possible and that the victim is given
20 written notice, in the form supplied by the attorney general, of the following:

21 (a) the availability of crime victim compensation;

22 (b) access by the victim and the defendant to information about the case, including the right to receive
23 documents under 46-24-106;

24 (c) the role of the victim in the criminal justice process, including what the victim can expect from the
25 system, as well as what the system expects from the victim, and including the right to be accompanied during
26 interviews as provided in 46-24-106; and

27 (d) stages in the criminal justice process of significance to a crime victim and the manner in which
28 information about the stages may be obtained.

29 (2) In addition to the information supplied under subsection (1), law enforcement personnel shall provide
30 the victim with written information on community-based victim treatment programs, including medical, housing,